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Art Unit 1621					
Applicant(s): Marco Maria GENTILE et al.					
Invention: NO PAIN INJECTABLE COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING SALTS OF 2-ARYLPROPIONIC ACIDS					
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

A substitute **Abstract** is attached.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.